

## Lexile Conversion Table for Spring 2008 AIMS Reading – Grade 7

A study was conducted in the spring of 2007 that linked the AIMS Reading scale score with The Lexile Framework® for Reading. Use the student's Spring 2008 AIMS Reading scale score to determine the student's Lexile® measure for the 2008-2009 school year.

The Lexile Framework® is an educational tool that has been developed to measure reading comprehension and text difficulty by placing readers and text on the same developmental scale. Lexiles help educators, parents, and students to select targeted materials to improve reading skills and to monitor reading growth across the curriculum, in the library, and at home. Although Lexiles do not equate to grade levels, the measure that a student receives through the assessment link can be used to connect the reader with books, periodicals, and other materials that meet and challenge his or her individual reading ability.

<b>AIMS Scale Score</b>	<b>Reported Lexile Measure</b>	<b>AIMS Scale Score</b>	<b>Reported Lexile Measure</b>	<b>AIMS Scale Score</b>	<b>Reported Lexile Measure</b>
339 & below	BR*	442	515L	501	850L
353	15L	446	540L	505	870L
364	75L	450	560L	509	895L
373	125L	454	585L	514	920L
381	170L	457	600L	518	945L
389	215L	461	625L	522	965L
395	250L	465	645L	527	995L
401	285L	468	660L	532	1025L
407	320L	472	685L	537	1050L
412	345L	476	710L	543	1085L
417	375L	479	725L	549	1120L
421	400L	483	745L	555	1155L
426	425L	486	765L	563	1200L
430	450L	490	785L	571	1245L
434	470L	494	810L	580	1295L
438	495L	498	830L	591 & above	1335L

\*BR—beginning reading

**For additional information, go to:** [www.ade.az.gov/azreads/Lexile](http://www.ade.az.gov/azreads/Lexile).

<b>Performance Level 7<sup>th</sup> Grade</b>	<b>Scale Score 2008</b>
<b>Falls Far Below</b>	<b>260-442</b>
<b>Approaches</b>	<b>443-488</b>
<b>Meets</b>	<b>489-586</b>
<b>Exceeds</b>	<b>587-720</b>

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